

Wife in Name Only

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She married the man she loved... knowing he would never love her back.

Renee Fitzgerald has loved Hudson Waterford for years. When her dying grandfather arranges their marriage to protect the family empire, she agrees—hoping time might turn obligation into love.

Hudson agrees for one reason only: **power**.

To him, it's a business deal.

To her, it's everything.

Then Renee overhears the words that shatter her fragile hope—he regrets marrying her.

Instead of begging for affection he never offered, she walks away. She leaves annulment papers. She disappears. And for the first time in his life, Hudson loses control.

Because losing Renee makes him realise what he's thrown away.

But when a suspicious fire and a near-fatal poisoning reveal that someone wants Renee gone permanently, regret isn't enough. Hudson must protect the woman he never meant to love—and prove that this time, his vows are real.

Betrayal runs deep.

Love runs deeper.

And some wives are worth fighting for.

Tropes:

💍 Marriage of Convenience

❤️ Unrequited Love

💔 Grovelling Hero

🚪 She Walks Away

🛡️ Protective CEO Hero

🌹 Other Woman Drama

⚖️ Marriage in Crisis

Reader Guide:

🔥 Heat: 🔥 🔥 🔥 ☆ ☆ (Moderately Steamy)

💔 Angst: ★★★★★☆

❤️ Emotion: ★★★★★★

✓ No Cheating

✨ Guaranteed HEA